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Washingtonville

The Vankirk family moved into the James Vankirk property near the depot. Mrs. Wm. Roller of Polo, Ill., who visited her sister at Wampum for two weeks, returned here and is visiting among friends here for a couple of weeks before returning home.

Preaching at the Lutheran church next Sunday morning and evening. Come and bring your friends.

Frank Boston butchered two fine porkers Tuesday at the country home of Robert Maxwell.

Miss Estella Hattenbaugh of East Palestine spent Sunday at the home of her parents.

Since the hunting season opened hunters are making good use of their time, many returning home loaded down with the season's game.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Davis entertained several friends from Calla, last Sunday.

Don't forget Thanksgiving and return thanks for the many blessings enjoyed during the past year. After having a pleasant time among your friends, go to the Lutheran church and enjoy the services which will be held in the evening.

A reception was given the new M. E. pastor and family at the parsonage, last Thursday evening. A large number was present and each took a pound parcel as a donation, which made the gathering very interesting. In this way the new minister and family became acquainted in his new charge. Delightful refreshments were served.

Mrs. Carl Weikart was a Salem visitor, Saturday.

Albert Culler, who was confined to his home several weeks, is able to be out.

Andrew Woods of East Liverpool was here at his home, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Denner of Youngstown were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stouffer, Sunday.

The first team went to Sebring Sunday to play the Sebring boys. The score was 13 to 0 in favor of Sebring. A large crowd of rooters from here accompanied them.

A crowd of young folks was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Conover, Saturday evening, in honor of their daughter Louise's birthday anniversary. Games, music and a jolly good time was had. The guests were served with a fine luncheon. All left at a late hour, wishing the hosts many more happy birthdays.

Miller Richardson visited his brother, Rev. H. A. Richardson, a few days last week.

Mrs. Lambert Carrier of Salem spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Samuel Atkinson.

Richard Wilkinson was a Salem caller, Monday.

Ed. Frankfort's condition is so much improved that he is able to be about on crutches.

Mrs. W. D. King and son of Salem spent several days with her parents here.

An agreeable surprise assembly honored Mrs. T. R. Lewis in her home Tuesday evening, when 15 friends and a good social time passed the evening away. A concluding feature was a delicious luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fenstermaker of East Palestine were Sunday guests of O. Bosert and family.

W. C. Weikart and family of Leetonia were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis.

Miss Clara Weikart was a Salem caller, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Carlisle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Youngstown.

Samuel Robner and family moved into their new home last week.

Miss Amanda Bilger was a guest of friends in Lisbon, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Andrews and daughter Janetie of Salem called on relatives here, Sunday.

A little daughter was born, Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. George Bell.

Miss Carrie Woods was an Alliance caller, Saturday.

There will be preaching at the M. E. church, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. All are invited.

Miss Margaret Archibald of East Palestine visited here with her sister, Miss Emmet Carlisle, this week.

Mr. Felt Declines to Act as Mayor.

Fellow Citizens:—My election as the officer of mayor was a surprise to me, because a number of times my friends were informed that I did not have the time to give the job the required attention. Since the election so many good people have called upon me and urged most earnestly that I accept the office that I feel I should make a statement so as to avoid any misunderstanding.

I realize that the acceptance of the office carries with it an obligation which is more important than title or salary. To pass unobserved these things that are detrimental to the best interest of the people of the village is to betray their confidence and good will.

While conditions in our village are not as bad as some of our surrounding neighbors would have us believe, such conditions as automobiles exceeding all reasonable speed limit, thereby endangering the lives of our citizens; traffic crossing crossings beyond a reasonable time, thereby causing traffic and school children to wait; innocent games of chance which children are sometimes permitted to play, which often lead to gambling when they grow older and the keeping open of so-called places of business all hours of the night should be prohibited. Sunday sports are lawful but they should be encouraged along real sportsmanlike lines so as to earn the good will of all who attend.

The people will gladly aid in any movement that is worthy and in support of this statement I cite the fact when our school house burned there was not a single tax paying industry in our town, yet the citizens voted an additional burden upon themselves and built a school of which we can feel proud. The war, through which we have just passed, found us active in every good movement and we have been highly complimented by leading men who wonder how we do things. The right spirit is among us—the coming mayor has only to give the command. Personally, I shall in the future, as in the past, help any good movement to the best of my ability. I assure you I highly appreciate the mark of respect shown by electing me.

to the office of mayor. However, I cannot accept it because at the present time circumstances are such that I cannot take care of it with a fixed responsibility. Sincerely yours, ELDON HOIT.

ISLAND

Nov. 19.—Sundays guests of John Witmer and family were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rhodes, Miss Anna Wenger and Joseph and Mattie Koogler of Dayton, Va., Miss Ida Weaver, Leslie Kapp, Mary, Minnie and Annie Rhodes, Ben Lehman, Jonas Knopp, Enos, Ezra and Ida Wimer, Henry and Mary Rhiel, Amos, Stella, Hannah and Joseph Wenger and Mrs. Mattie Wisler.

Raymond Compton and Adin Brubaker went to Wooster, Saturday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weaver and Miss Mattie Rohrer visited at Ed. Weaver's, Sunday.

Clark McClun and family of West Middlesex, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burns and son Arthur of North Lima called on S. G. McClun and family, Sunday evening.

Rev. Martin and Amos Snyder of St. Jacob's, Canfield, arrived here Friday and will spend the winter here.

Paul Zeigler and family and M. M. Zeigler called at Henry Lehman's, Sunday.

Joseph and Miss Mattie Koogler, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rhodes and Miss Annie Wenger of Dayton, Va., spent the past week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver and daughter Alma will leave for Wade, Friday, where they will spend some time visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McClun, Mrs. Elizabeth Burns and Mrs. Nellie Reichard and daughter Esther were Sunday guests of Henry and Elmer Calvin's, at Locust Grove.

Miss Emma Witmer underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Salem hospital, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Detrow and daughter Erma, Mrs. Fannie Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Culp and daughter Virginia, Mrs. Mary Metzler, Mrs. Minerva Yoder and daughters Edith and Edith were Sunday visitors at John Detrow's, near Leetonia.

Don't forget the Thanksgiving program and pie social to be held at the Salem school, Tuesday evening, November 25.

Mr. John Wisler and Mrs. M. M. Zeigler spent the past week with relatives at Nappan, Ind.

Misses Bertha Tescher and Mollie Leisner spent Sunday in Alliance.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bechtel left for their home at Goshen, Ind., Saturday. Neighbors and friends to the number of 20 called on Harvey Hoist surprise fashion, Monday afternoon, and assisted him at his kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Arner enjoyed a singing held at the home of Mrs. Saloma Weaver, Sunday evening.

Fred Brudery and family visited Joe Miers and family at Snodes, Sunday.

Paul Calvin of Hiram was here over Sunday.

MILLVILLE

Nov. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Callahan and children of Salem spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sheen.

Miss Lillie Condrew of Nicola, Ia., is enjoying an extended visit with Miss Lucy Aloeson.

William Howell of Riverside is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Howland.

Mrs. Floyd Frederick of Youngstown spent Thursday night with W. L. Holwick and family.

John Crawford of East Liverpool is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Arner.

Archie Holland spent Saturday evening and Sunday with W. H. Reed of Salem.

Miss Estella Hattenbaugh of East Palestine was a week-end guest of her parents.

Miss Lucy Arner, who teaches at Hubbard, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Grubbs and children of Youngstown were Sunday guests of Prosper Molle and family.

Mrs. George Crutchley spent Thursday in Alliance.

Mrs. Marians Sulist and children, who were guests of Eugene Sulist and family, have returned home to Wilkinsburg.

Mrs. T. J. Rae spent Monday with her parents on the Franklin road.

A daughter came, last Sunday, to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McKellar of Chicago. Mrs. McKellar was formerly Miss Myrtle Holland of this place.

WEST AUSTINTOWN

Nov. 19.—Preaching by Rev. Reif next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Union services of the Calla, Smith's Corners and the local class will be held in this place Thanksgiving evening.

Sadie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Ripple of Youngstown, recently visited at G. W. Ripple's.

Mr. Hines, who boards with his sister, Mrs. Nellie Robertson, purchased a talking machine.

Myron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Schisler, of Rosemont, is working for G. W. Ripple.

Mrs. Maritell Pennell, who visited her sons in Youngstown, has returned home.

Orin Flick met with a severe loss last Saturday afternoon in having his dwelling burn. Through the timely assistance of neighbors and others in the village, nearly all the contents were saved except a dresser, two beds, books and clothing on the second floor.

The following officers were elected at the last meeting of the Red Cross auxiliary of this township: Mrs. Mar- the Wilson, chairman; Mrs. Clyde Dunlap, vice-chairman; Mrs. John Blumire, secretary-treasurer. Time of meeting has been changed to the second Thursday in each month, at the centralized school building. Invitations to all.

David Walter has returned from California.

Mrs. Thomas, who has been quite ill, is somewhat better.

Some ill-behaved persons broke several window lights for David Shirely.

NORTH LIMA

Nov. 19.—The house on the farm owned by Mrs. Catharine Whelan, near the Midway Stop, and occupied by E. D. Best and family, burned about 5 o'clock Thursday evening. Mr. Best was away from home and Mrs. Best had just time to save her five small children from the flames. Neighbors arrived too late to be of any assistance. A three months old baby was seriously burned about the face and hands, and Mrs. Best received slight burns and cuts from broken glass. The contents of the home were a total loss with no insurance. The family is staying temporarily with Mrs. Whelan. It is probable that the house will be replaced by a new one in the near future. Donations of food, clothing, household supplies and money are being received from hosts of sympathizing friends.

A series of evangelistic services began in Calvary Evangelical church last Sunday and will continue throughout the week. Rev. L. E. Hill is being assisted by Rev. J. Van Ess of Youngstown.

Vernon E. Crouse has been chosen one of the county delegates to represent the grange at the meeting of the state grange in December. Mr. Crouse is a member of North Lima grange, and one of its most enthusiastic supporters.

The young people of the three churches of the village will unite in a special rally service next Sunday afternoon and evening in Mt. Olivet Reformed church. A speaker from Youngstown is promised, and there will be special music.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held Thanksgiving Day in the Lutheran church, with Rev. J. H. Graf as speaker.

Over 100 memberships to the Red Cross were secured here during the third annual Roll Call ending last week.

Rev. F. Mayer of Youngstown will preach in the Reformed church next Sunday morning. Rev. Rohrbach will preach in Rev. Mayer's church.

North Lima grange will initiate a large class in the first and second degrees next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Lydia Hollibaugh of Virginia, formerly a resident of Columbiana, has been the guest of Mrs. Fink and Mrs. Ellen Kenrich.

Mason Hartman left last week for Kansas City to enter college.

Nelson Yuren of Detroit called on old friends here last week.

Roy Williams and family have moved to the Kurtz property. Their apartments are occupied by Edward Ungar and family.

The annual meeting of the Red Cross Auxiliary was held Tuesday afternoon.

North Lima grange officers for 1920: Master, C. L. Double; overseer, M. L. Beard; lecturer, Mrs. C. H. Weis; steward, Carl Leisher; assistant steward, Rollin Crouse; chaplain, L. F. Chambers; treasurer, L. F. Ober; secretary, J. E. Dilworth; gate keeper, C. R. Grove; lady assistant, Mrs. Edna Weis; insurance agent, I. T. Shellenberger.

TURNER STREET

Nov. 19.—L. S. Pershing and family were at John Brown's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson and daughter Grace and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gray of Youngstown visited Bert Creed and family of Berlin Center, Sunday.

Miss Edna McLaughlin of Greenville, Pa., spent the week-end at J. W. Ockerman's.

Maxine Brobst attended a birthday party given Edith Carr of Ohio's Crossing, Saturday night.

Paul Ockerman of Youngstown attended at J. W. Ockerman's, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. DeCamp of Youngstown and two daughters, William Gardner and two daughters and Mary Shaffer of North Canfield street were at Adam and Elmer Brobst's, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rhodes were invited to the wedding of William Gardner and daughter Mary, which was held at the Washingtonville lodge and on the work day at Adam and Elmer Brobst's, Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Wilson was in Jackson Wednesday.

H. E. Brobst was in Rosemont the first of the week.

G. C. Reed and wife and Harold Reed and family of Canfield were at James Reed's, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rhodes spent Saturday at Glen DeCamp's in Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry May and children of Austintown were at F. R. Ewing's, Sunday afternoon. Jeanette Blucher went home with them to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brobst and daughters Maxine, Crystal and Yonna were at Shannon Carr's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Flynn and James Brown of Youngstown and H. E. Brobst and family spent Sunday evening with T. J. Brick and family.

ROSEMONT

Nov. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wolfe, Miss Selma and Master John Wolfe of Wheeling, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graybill of Kirkwood, W. Va., visited here, Sunday, at the home of Henry Wolfe.

Stewart Arnold and wife of Berlin spent Sunday here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and daughter Ollie, Mrs. E. Sipe of New Springfield, John Everstine and family and Floyd Schisler of Struthers spent Sunday at the home of Floyd Schisler.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hollibaugh are spending a few weeks in Austintown at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Ohl.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cessna of Hickory were recent visitors at the home of Jos. Cessna.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and Mrs. Fred Schisler were in Youngstown last Thursday.

Kenneth Turner of Youngstown was an over Sunday guest at the home of John Arnold.

C. E. Rose and family of Niles visited his mother here, Sunday.

Albert Schisler was in Youngstown, Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Roof of this place and Mr. Copham of Youngstown were married in Youngstown, last Saturday.

About 65 neighbors and friends enjoyed a husking bee at the home of J. M. Arnold, last Wednesday night.

ELLSWORTH

Mrs. J. F. Schafer was in Youngstown Friday.

Mrs. Mary Pressell, who had an operation a short time ago, is getting along nicely and expects to be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gensler of North Jackson called here one evening last week.

There will be preaching in the M. E. church, Sunday evening.

The sale of Amos Smith was held, Monday afternoon.

Elvretta Fenstermaker was in Warren, recently.

Mrs. Mack Howard and Miss Rose were in Youngstown, Friday.

The remains of Mrs. Margaret S. Kirk, who died recently in Asia, Ala., were brought here, Friday, for interment.

Milton Florence was in Berlin one evening last week.

Several from here attended a milk meeting in North Jackson, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kinzie recently spent a few days in Pittsburgh.

Powers Dickson of Canfield and Mr. Brown of Youngstown called here, Saturday.

Mrs. Blanche Brooke, who recently underwent an operation, is improving slowly.

Jay Helsel and Harry Schafer started to work in Youngstown this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Florence and daughter, Marjorie Clara, were in Warren, Sunday.

Miss Grace Barnett is assisting Mrs. Emory Bunts, who has been on the sick list for some time.

Ray Goist was in Jackson one day last week.

Several men met at the M. E. church Tuesday and made repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Goist and children spent Sunday in Columbiana.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold an oyster supper and bazaar Saturday evening, December 3.

Esther Gossler spent Sunday at her home here.

J. F. and Alfred Schafer, Agnes, Marjorie, Wesley and Franklin Pressell were in Youngstown, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Fenstermaker entertained friends from Warren over Sunday.

Thanksgiving services will be held in the Presbyterian church, Thursday morning, November 27, at 10 o'clock.

Rev. Brobst will pronounce the sermon. Dr. Brobst will be in Jackson, Sunday.

Mrs. James Harding has returned home after spending a few days with friends in Alliance.

Miss Anna Schafer spent Saturday in Warren with her sister, Mrs. Max, and infant son.

Preaching in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. All are invited.

Mrs. Bert Tibbets and children of Youngstown visited her sister here, Saturday afternoon.

J. F. Schafer was taken to the Youngstown hospital today to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

PATMOS

Nov. 19.—Mrs. W. L. Middleton attended the group meeting of the W. F. M. S. held at Damascus last Friday. She reports an excellent program given.

Rev. Smith preached an excellent sermon on "A Life of Stewardship" at Baker Hill church last Sunday morning. He placed emphasis on the need of Sabbath observance as one part of a life of stewardship. This was without doubt one of the best sermons he has ever preached at this place, and those not there to hear it missed a rare treat. Everyone is invited to attend. Come one and all and make it a point to be present every Sunday. Sunday school at nine-thirty, preaching services at ten-thirty.

Rev. Smith has announced that he will conduct religious services at Baker Hill church beginning Sunday evening, November 30. Let everyone plan to attend these meetings.

W. L. Middleton, who is working for Hack & Shilliday near Salem, spent Sunday at his home here.

Patmos school and community club will give a Thanksgiving entertainment and old-fashioned spelling bee, Wednesday evening, November 26. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

BOARDMAN

Freda Bohn and Esther Heintzelman spent the week-end in Cleveland.

Miss Chute is making improvements on her property here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Heintzelman and son, John, and Kernet Carlson called Sunday at Boardman, last Sunday.

Nathan Hallett has moved his tenant house and has the cellar completed.

Rev. Roberts of the M. E. Church preached a sermon on "The Meaneast Man in Boardman" last Sunday. Sunday his theme will be: "Keep the Cooties on the Lower Shelf." He wants every boy to hear it, if he is 90 years old.

H. C. Heintzelman and son John went in Canfield, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Agnew, Miss Stewart, Mrs. O. H. Stafford and Mrs. H. C. Heintzelman attended the farm bureau meeting in Canfield, Monday night.

Walter Simon was in Garrettsville, Monday.

GEEBURG

Nov. 19.—Misses Blanche and Ara McKenzie called on their parents, Sunday.

Herman Yeager of Berlin called on his father here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKenzie attended a corn husking at John Arnold's, Wednesday night.

Urias Yeager was in Youngstown, Saturday.

Kenneth Clay called on Mandus Yeager, Sunday.

Perry Sear of Hickory called in Geeburg, Sunday.

Esther Miller was in Canfield, Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Williams was a caller in Canfield, Wednesday.

Mr. John Rhodes was a caller in Youngstown, Thursday.

Matters of moment—sixty seconds.

GREENFORD

Nov. 19.—Mrs. Lydia Walter suffered a stroke of paralysis last Tuesday from which she has not recovered. Her right side is paralyzed and she cannot articulate.

Greenford schools observed the anniversary of the signing of the armistice last Tuesday by marching and counter-marching with drum and flag on our streets, then forming a circle on the square and singing two national songs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Iowa spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Lamb, and family.

L. F. Dively made a trip to Canton and Miami last Wednesday.

George Hively and family moved to Salem last Wednesday.

An oil and gas drilling machine was placed on the Sarah Schurrnberger farm last week.

Dr. O. A. Rhoads of Salem made professional calls here, Monday and Tuesday nights.

Ray Clay moved to Marquis last Wednesday. He is employed at the clay mines.

Warren Charlton and family of the